

The Evening Dispatch

THE CHARGE IN HOLLY CASE

Will be Given Jury Before Night

Judge Carter States That he Will Hold Jury Together Until Monday, if Necessary, in Order to Reach a Verdict, if Possible—Speeches Were Delivered Today and Charge to the Jury Will Follow—Testimony at Closing Sessions.

(Staff Correspondence.)
Burgaw, N. C., Sept. 25.—Before the members of the jury are ready to retire tonight, in all probability, they will have had placed before them the question of the guilt, or innocence of J. C. Holly, the white man charged with the murder by strychnine poisoning of his ward, Edward Cronwell.

The evidence was closed last night, shortly before 11 o'clock. Today has been devoted to the arguments from attorneys. Judge Frank Carter expects to deliver his charge to the jury either late this afternoon, or at a session after supper tonight.

Judge Carter succeeded in his expectation last night of finishing the evidence. To accomplish this end he held a long session during the afternoon, and another at night. With a large crowd present, and in the dimly lighted court room evening, the trial proceeded with unabated speed. After the State had finished the cross-examination of Dr. Edward J. Wood, an expert witness introduced by the defendant, the defence rested its case. It was decided not to put Holly on the stand. The case was resumed this morning at 9:30 a. m. It was decided that each side should take three hours for speeches. Four, possibly five speeches are to be delivered. The speeches for Holly will be made by his attorneys, C. D. Weeks, Esq., and William J. Bellamy, Esq., and for the State by Solicitor Shaw and one, possibly both members of the firm of Bland & Bland.

Judge Carter stated that he expects the jury to reach a verdict. If necessary he will hold the members together until Monday morning of next week. Judge Carter will be obliged to remain at Burgaw until a verdict is reached, or a mistrial is ordered. The court stated that the trials have been most expensive and that a verdict will have to be reached, if there is any possible chance.

The evidence at the afternoon and evening sessions yesterday is given below:
The first witness yesterday afternoon when court convened at 3 p. m. was Mr. B. J. Cottle. He lived in Wilmington, was working for R. R. Bellamy, the druggist, on August 10th, 1910. He had been working there 5 or 6 years. He sold strychnine to Holly. He referred to the poison register he had with him. At the time of sales he made entries. On June 21, 1910, he sold Holly 1 1/2 of an ounce, or about 55 grams, of strychnine, also on August 3, 1910, he sold the same amount to Holly. The purchaser said both times he wanted the poison to kill rats as they were awful at his place. The witness could not say positively whether he sold strychnine sulphate, or nitrate. He knew Holly purchased the strychnine. The sulphate is usually sold.

F. M. Canady was recalled. He said he was in the jail before Sunday, after Holly was arrested. Holly asked him to see Miss Mary West; said for her to tell Dr. Bell, the coroner, that "Edward" turned a lamp over on the bed. The witness delivered the message.

H. L. Gregg was called. He stated that he had conversations with Holly many times. The witness knew Cronwell. He roomed at the hotel. He left the hotel nineteen days before the fire. He heard Holly say that Edward packed his clothes and intended to sail on a ship. Holly stopped him and would not let him leave. Holly said he was under obligations to the boy's father to keep him a certain length of time.

M. W. P. Monroe was recalled. He said he had a conversation with Holly about some furniture, about 5 a. m. after the fire. Holly said he had shipped one load to Pikeville, to Mr. Flowers, who owned the goods.

A. J. Moore, Jr., agent of the A. C. L. freight department at Wilmington, stated that he had had no transactions with Holly.

G. Haskett Flowers knew Holly. He had a conversation with Holly about goods shipped to his place. There were two bedsteads, three boxes, etc. The witness got a letter with Holly's (Continued on Fifth Page.)

ARE IN SAME STATE TODAY

Wilson and Johnson Speaking in Conn.

Both Will Also Speak in Same Places, Reversing the Towns Afternoon and Night—Wilson Continues His Connecticut Tour Tomorrow—Pleased at News From Jersey.

New York, Sept. 25.—Governor Woodrow Wilson and Governor Hiram Johnson are invading Connecticut today. Governor Wilson left here early for Hartford, where he makes an afternoon address, going to New Haven tonight. Governor Johnson speaks in New Haven this afternoon and in Hartford tonight. Wilson has planned to spend the night in New Haven, going to Springfield, Barre and Fall River tomorrow. He is keenly interested today in the returns from the New Jersey primaries and pleased at the victory of Congressman Hughes, whom he supported.

WANTS MONEY TO CARRY ON THE WAR

Mexico City, Sept. 23.—President Madero has sent a message to Congress requesting the appropriation of twenty million pesos or authorization of making a loan for that amount, to be used in conducting a campaign against the Rebels. It is believed Congress will either make an appropriation or authorize the loan. In a message Madero said there was on hand June 3rd, fifty one million pesos, including twenty million borrowed. Practically all this has been spent and more is necessary.

NOW MARINES TO BE HURRIED TO HAITI

Washington, Sept. 25.—Early dispatches to the State Department contained advice of a revolution in the Dominican Republic. Preparations for moving 450 marines to protect the customs houses on the Haytian border were pushed forward and sometime today a movement of Marines from posts along the Atlantic Seaboard is expected to begin. They are concentrating at Philadelphia and will be rushed to Santo Domingo on the transport Prairie.

ENLISTMENTS FOR NAVY JUMP UP

Washington, Sept. 25.—Enlistments in the Navy through the recruiting service for the week amounted to 309, the largest figure of any week since last January. These figures are taken by the Navy Department to indicate that the Navy is regaining its popularity.

AMNESTY OFFERED MEXICAN REBELS

Mexico City, Sept. 25.—A new movement to obtain peace in Northern Mexico was made today, when President Madero and Cabinet instructed the Minister of War to offer amnesty to the followers of Pascual Orozco, the Rebel leader.

"MONA LISA" REPORTED TO BE IN RUSSIA

London, Sept. 25.—The masterpiece "Mona Lisa," stolen from the Louvre, Paris, in August of last year, is hanging on the walls of a private gallery in St. Petersburg, according to a report published in a Russian newspaper and telegraphed here today.

Seattle, Wash., Sept. 25.—Advice from Valdez, Alaska, say that Mount Wrangell, the most widely known of the Alaskan smoking volcanoes, is again in eruption, throwing out large volumes of smoke and lava. Instead of one crater, there now are seven vents, and lava is flowing from all.



ANOTHER VOLUNTEER

WELL PLEASED WORLD'S SERIES GREAT VICTORY

Were Ohio Farmers With North Carolina Land—Insurance Commissioner Young to Recommend More Strict Supervision of Foreign B. and L. Associations.

Dispatch News Bureau, Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 25, 1912. The 25 Ohio farmers and professional men who are in eastern North Carolina investigating farming conditions are well pleased with everything, according to Elias Carr, secretary of the Board of Agriculture, who has just returned from Edenton. Five of the farmers were accompanied by their wives, who joined their husbands in praising North Carolina soil and hospitality. It was pointed out by one of the visitors that an acre near Edenton will produce twice as much corn as an acre in Ohio and in addition bear a crop of peavine hay as valuable as the corn grown by the Ohio acre. It is estimated that ten per cent. of the Ohio farmers who have visited this State have returned to live, and practically all of the 25 here now express a desire to migrate to North Carolina.

Insurance Commissioner Young will in his annual report which is in course of preparation recommends a more strict supervision over building and loan associations for the purpose of protecting the public against foreign companies which are, he says, are wrong in principle, a building and loan association being designed to serve the local community. He commends the management of the local associations and suggests that the plan might properly be extended so that land associations to enable persons to buy farms and at farmers by marketing their crops might be formed. The idea is not new, Mr. Young says, and has been tried out thoroughly in European countries.

Reports from 100 of the 115 building and loan associations operating in the State show that the receipts for the past year amounted to \$5,376,088, the disbursements to \$5,223,937.95, and the assets to \$8,457,559.39. The disbursements amounted to increase in receipts over the previous to \$492,175.07 and the increase in assets to \$975,272.72.

Two revival meetings are in progress here, the one at the Baptist Tabernacle being conducted by Dr. Calvin E. Weller of Asheville, and the other at Edenton Street Methodist Church conducted by Rev. N. A. Humble of Laurinburg.

The Imperial Pharmacy, of Fayetteville, was chartered today with twenty thousand dollars authorized and twenty three hundred subscribed by M. L. Perry, Fred A. Fleming, W. J. Elliott, and R. W. Thaggard.

"The Substitute Model" (Self) Great Film Sensation at the Delight Grand Today.

Commission Meeting Today to Arrange Dates and Other Preliminaries—Going on Supposition That New York Nationals Will Join the Pennant.

New York, Sept. 25.—Members of the National Baseball Commission and representatives of the Boston American and New York Nationals gathered here today to fix the dates for the world's championship series, settle the disputed question as to how and by whom the sale of tickets will be conducted, formally announce the eligible players and dispose of any other business bearing upon the arrangements. Although New York still needs two games to clinch the National pennant, the commission is proceeding on the supposition that that team will win the pennant. The schedule, however, will be announced with a provision deference to the Chicago club, which is a close second. After deciding the dates, the commission will invite Presidents Brush and McAleer to toss for the honor of opening. It is planned to have two games in each city, instead of alternating.

STRIKE TIES-UP ROADS IN SPAIN

Perpignan, France, Sept. 25.—Railroad traffic is completely suspended in Catalonia Province, Spain, and there has been considerable destruction of property by strikers, who quit in a body at midnight. Barcelona dispatches state that every station is now in the hands of the military as every employe joined the movement. International trains are unable to proceed beyond the Spanish border.

FIREMEN OF WHITE STAR LINER STRIKE

Southampton, Sept. 25.—Firemen of the White Star liner, Majestic, refused to go aboard today when the vessel was about to sail for New York. They declared the stokehold undermanned and demanded more men be engaged. The vessel was delayed for some hours, before some of the men were induced to return to duty and the vacancies of other strikers filled.

Boston, Mass., Sept. 25.—The differences existing between the Boston hotels and their employes will be taken to the State Board of Conciliation and Arbitration, where hearing will be given tomorrow before a full board. Pending the hearing the strike, which has been threatened during the Chambers of Commerce Congress, will be called off.

For Wilson and Progressive Democracy in New Jersey—Congressman Hughes Will Have Majority of Between Twenty and Thirty Thousand Over Boss Jim Smith.

Trenton, N. J., Sept. 25.—As the figures of yesterday's primaries continue to come in the decisiveness of Congressman Hughes' victory as the choice of the Democrats for United States Senator, becomes more apparent. The result is regarded as a victory for Governor Wilson, who has supported Hughes throughout. Hughes' majority over James Smith, Jr., will run between twenty and thirty thousand.

ROOSEVELT COMES INTO THE SOUTH

Little Rock, Ark., Sept. 25.—"I feel as if a had been in a crusade," said Colonel Roosevelt today. Coming into the old South, with his trip through the west at an end, he said he felt that he had been well repaid for his western campaign. He said he had heard good reports of the Progressive movement in the South. "At the bottom," Roosevelt continued, "the Progressive movement is a religious one." Roosevelt spent most of the day here, leaving late this afternoon for Memphis.

FOSS AGAIN NAMED TO HEAD TICKET

Boston, Mass., Sept. 25.—As the result of yesterday's primary, Eugene M. Foss, will be the Democratic candidate for Governor for a third time, having defeated District Attorney Pelletier by twenty six thousand majority. Former Speaker Walker had a majority of ten thousand over Colonel Benton for the Republican nomination.

ARCHBOLD IS SICK OF THE BUSINESS

Southampton, Sept. 25.—John D. Archbold, president of the Standard Oil, is sick being bothered about political exposures, he declared in an interview today before sailing for New York. He declined to add anything further and three guards were placed before his stateroom door to keep off interviewers.

Altoona, Pa., Sept. 25.—President Taft arrived here early today to participate in the semi-centennial of the Loyal War Governors' conference.

BRISTLING GUNS GREETED THEM

"Night Riders" Found Their Man Alert

Party Swooped Down on a Kentucky Tobacco Planter, Found His Friends On Hand to Give Battle and They Beat a Retreat—"Riders" Evidently Meant Business, as Several Carried Ropes.

Henderson, Ky., Sept. 25.—When a squad of "Night Riders" arrived at the tobacco farm of J. Stokes Taylor this morning, they were unexpectedly met by Taylor and a party of friends, armed with guns. After half hour's parley, the visitors, presumed to be members of a tobacco pool competing against the organization headed by Taylor, were allowed to depart. Several "Night Riders" carried ropes.

TAFT HARPS ON SCIENTIFIC REVISION

New York, Sept. 25.—President Taft in an Evening World interview today promised revision of the tariff on a scientific basis and hinted at an extra tariff revision session should the Republicans control the next Congress. Referring to the high cost of living, the President expressed the opinion that American workmen are very much better off than Europeans. He said the woman suffrage issue will have to be decided by the various States. He believes women are as capable of the wise use of the ballot as men.

BACK TO CELL TO TAKE HIS MEDICINE

Chicago, Sept. 25.—Harold Hoops, the young man who was released when his father paid the remainder of his fine after he had served 26 days in jail for following a young woman and beseeching her to take a ride in his automobile, returned to jail today and asked for his old cell. He got it. He said he was learning his lesson and was going to finish his sentence.

MINERS STILL SEEK CONFERENCE

Bingham, Utah, Sept. 25.—Leaders of the copper miners, on a strike for higher wages, continued today their efforts to bring about a conference with the Utah Copper Company's general manager. They admit that so far they have met with little encouragement, but say they will continue these overtures, so that if an amicable adjustment fails the fault will not be theirs. No demonstration of any kind was reported throughout the night, although a number of Greek strikers were seen on the hillsides with rifles. The Greeks are being warned by their leaders not to carry arms.

CUBA FACING A FINANCIAL CRISIS

Washington, Sept. 25.—The demand on the Cuban Government yesterday that Cuba meet its monthly installment of four hundred thousand dollars on the cost of the Havana sewer and paving work threatens to bring to a crisis the desperate financial troubles of the Republic. Cuba has been having much trouble to meet these payments and with internal resources almost exhausted is in a dilemma. It either must reduce the civil establishment in the interests of economy, or secure the consent of the United States to obtain another foreign loan.

Still After More Testimony. Hot Springs, Ark., Sept. 25.—John W. Hart, representing New York Police Lieutenant Becker, was still here today. It was understood he expects to get important statements bearing on the Rosenthal murder case from persons other than those who appeared at the hearing, completed here Monday night.

New Home For Cotton Exchange. New York, Sept. 25.—Members of the New York cotton exchange have approved the preliminary plan for erection of a new home, a twenty two story skyscraper, to cost a million and three quarter of dollars.

SOLDIERS MAY BE WITHDRAWN

But West Virginia Operators Oppose Plan

Will Not Take the Militia Away for Several Weeks, However—Report That Miners Are Receiving Ammunition—Officers Making Inspection Today.

Charleston, W. Va., Sept. 25.—General Elliott, accompanied by a number of other militia officers, left today for inspection of the martial law country. It is stated that military authorities hear that large quantities of arms and ammunition have been shipped into Montgomery and other towns where the striking miners have been holding meetings, and if this is found to be true, it is probably that the martial law boundaries will be extended and the arms confiscated. While the plans of Governor Glasscock have not been divulged, it was reported today he is quietly arranging to withdraw the militia and restore the task of maintaining order to the civil authorities. This move, it is stated, will be resisted by the operators, who are alleged to oppose any action that will not give them complete protection. It is said if the Governor decides to withdraw the troops the order won't be issued for several weeks and in the meantime it is hoped a satisfactory solution of the differences will be reached.

SUPREME COURT TO SETTLE CHARLTON CASE

Washington, Sept. 25.—The long wait of Porter Charlton behind the bars of a New Jersey prison for the final word as to whether he must return to Italy to answer for the murder of his wife at Lake Como, two years ago, is drawing to an end. The Supreme Court will take up Charlton's case during the coming term, which opens October 14th. Charlton's appeal is the most noted murder case before the court. Not only did the details of the crime stir both Europe and America, but diplomatic officials of Italy and the United States have become involved in the matter. The decision of the court will be looked to as a guide in diplomatic intercourse.

The 22-year-old prisoner, through his father, Judge Paul Charlton, of Porto Rico, will not contest the question of his guilt, but will challenge the right of the American government to surrender him to the Italian authorities. This right is claimed on account of the peculiar circumstances under which Charlton was arrested. Immediately after Mrs. Charlton's body was found in a trunk in Lake Como, the search for her husband began. He was arrested at the request of the wife's brother, Capt. H. H. Scott, of the United States Army, as he stepped from a steamer at Hoboken, N. J. He had committed no crime in America, but confessed to having murdered his wife, who he said, had refused to obey his order to be quiet one night as they sojourned at Lake Como on their wedding trip.

Under the treaty between the United States and Italy, the latter country repeatedly has declined to return Italians, who committed crimes in this country and escaped to Italy, here for punishment. Italy has responded that she would punish them.

When the Italian government requested the United States to surrender Charlton, Secretary Knox replied that as the United States could not punish him, if found guilty, he would go free if not surrendered and so he granted the request. To prevent the removal, Charlton's father brought habeas corpus proceedings before the New Jersey courts, claiming that there was no authority for his arrest, and challenged the right of the American Government to turn his son over to the Italian officers. The New Jersey courts held against Charlton, who appealed to the Supreme Court of the United States. The case took its regular place on the docket and Charlton has remained in jail in New Jersey.

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